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**Calendar of Events—  
 March, 2011**

March 1—7:00 PM Q & A with Trustee  
 Candidates sponsored by IP-PEMA

March 3—7:00 p.m. P&Z

March 7—6:00 p. - State Auditors  
 public meeting

March 8—7:00 p.m.  
 Board of Trustees

March 15—6:00 p.m. BPW

**Calendar of Events—  
 April, 2011**

April 5—6:00 BPW

April 7—7:00 p.m. P&Z

April 12—7:00 p.m.  
 Board of Trustees

April 19—6:00 p.m. BPW

*Note: As of deadline date, the above  
 meetings are the only ones scheduled.  
 All meetings will be held in the Com-  
 munity Building at 957 Indian Point  
 Road unless otherwise noted*

**General Election—Tuesday,  
 April 5, 2011**

The General Election will be held on Tuesday, April 5, 2011 for all regis-  
 tered residents of the Village. The voting poll is located at Treehouse  
 Condo Club Room and the issues to be voted on will be as follows:

**School District No R-IV (Reeds Spring)  
 For Board Members**

Three Year Terms—Vote for Three

Matt Greenwalt  
 Jim Meats  
 Owen Allphin  
 Kevin J Williams

**Southern Stone County Fire Protection District**

Two candidates with the two highest votes will take The 6-year term, and the candidate  
 with the next highest will take the 2-year term.

Two Six Year Terms and One Two Year Term

Vote for Three

Jerry Hageman  
 John T. Clark  
 Jennifer Henderson  
 Glenn Thomas  
 Bob Alumbaugh  
 Larry Young

**Village of Indian Point**

For Trustees

Two Year Terms

Vote for Two

Tim Stout  
 Larry R. Stenzel  
 Brett L Stump Jr.  
 Barb Rose  
 David Canaday

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## Village Recycling



By: Betty Fier

Please remember to save and recycle old phone books when new books are delivered to your home. Nestle Purina provides and exchanges a bin for all types of paper products which they use to make cat/dog litter. Tonnage collected on Indian Point on Feb 15 was 3.66 tons. Great! IP Recycle Center also collects number 1 & 2 threaded plastic containers, clean flattened food cans with label removed and aluminum cans. The plastic and food cans are taken to the Branson Recycle Center. We sell the aluminum to Patrick Recycling in Reeds Spring. Monies obtained from the sale of aluminum are placed in a beautification account. The beautification committee are ready to purchase and plant around the Municipal building, but have been asked to wait on planting by the Welcome Center until they raise enough money for blacktopping. There has been a considerable delay and at the Feb Village Board meeting we asked for a joint meeting be set up to see how we can move forward with both projects.

If you need additional information, pick up a brochure @ the Village office or call Betty @ 417-263-0436.

## Police Report

The police department again wishes to thank IPEMA, Indian Point Marina, Tribesman Resort and Diane Cary Cottage Resorts for donating monies for the cameras. Most of the cameras are up and working. Thanks to Larry Stenzel and Jim Daily for helping to run conduit and wires for the cameras.

We wish to welcome Kyle Prince. Kyle is our new part time officer. If you see Kyle out and about please welcome him.

Reserve officers are great asset for the police department, they put in many hours patrolling and helping fill voids when necessary. In 2010 the reserve officers put in approximately 250 hours of non compensated time. At the present time we have 3 reserve officers.

Congratulations to Officer Carpenter, she is now a Corporal. She will take on duties such as reserve officer staffing and coordinating, and assume a supervisory role when the Chief is away.

Please take note there are a few changes to some speed limits and stop signs. All residential area is 25 mile per hour zones unless there is a posted speed limit sign. As for some concerned citizens who brought the dangerous intersection to the Villages attention STOP signs will be placed at the intersection of Meadow Hills and Jakes Creek Trail, please be careful as this intersection will now be a 3 way stop. The police will be monitoring the intersection for violations.

If you are going to be away on vacation or out of town for a few days please stop by the office and fill out a form and the police will extra patrol your residence.

Again thanks for the support of the community, the Indian Point Police strive to make Indian Point a safe place to live and play.

## Local Opportunity to Help

Volunteers are wanted to become part of our Welcome Center, which is located next to the Village Offices.

This is a pleasant job serving local visitors and giving directions and brochures. If you are at all interested, please call Pat Turner at 338-8713—Thank You!

## State Auditors to hold Public Meeting

The State Auditors will hold a public meeting on Monday, March 7, 2011 at the Village Center. The meeting will be held at 6:00 pm and they will be on hand to present their findings, as well as answer any questions you may have. Please plan on attending this important meeting.

## IP-PEMA to hold Open Gathering

IP (PEMA) will conduct a Community Open Gathering at 7pm on Tuesday, March 1, 2011 at the Village Center for Village voters to meet the candidates running for Board of Trustees in the April 5 election. Candidates will respond to preselected questions, and questions from the voters will be taken as time allows. Please plan on attending this important meeting. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.

## The City Council

(poem in Newly Elected Officials Book)

Impeccably groomed, with a smile on each face, they enter the chamber and rush into place; Five Councilmen seating, with airs most sedate, All glancing at watches, afraid to be late. With a bang of the gavel, they're ready for work and answer, with gusto, the call of the Clerk; then vote of the warrants and minutes and dates before all the hearings and lengthy debates. But soon City Fathers, so eager and wise, like flowers, start wilting and rubbing their eyes and, little by little, are slouching a bit. Their eyelids start drooping and gamely they sit to listen and argue and vote to decide while hair becomes tousled and ties move and slide. They drink all the water their pitchers possess, for want—not of drink—but, excuse for recess. Then, on with the battles and on with the bore; same speakers and viewpoints heard often before while elbow on table with fist under chin keeps each human body from caving right in. And glances at watches show spouses will think they fell off the wagon and stopped for a drink. They're too tired to stay and they're too weak to leave. There's nothing they'll say that their wives will believe.

The moral of this story is, if you aspire to run for the council, suppress the desire unless you have nothing but time to devote and don't have a friend you might lose by a vote and don't have a job that means early arise and don't have a wife to count hours you lose or care if you sometimes drown sorrows in "booze". But—run for the Council if you are sincere in seeking improvement to that which is here. It's more work than glory. Some might call you crooks. Just God reads the records in old Minute books.

# Trustee Candidates Background

## Tim Stout Candidate for Indian Point Trustee

My name is Tim Stout. I am currently a trustee and would like to continue for another term. I have been married to Rhonda for 32 years. We have two sons, who are both married and have blessed our lives with our first two grandchildren this past year. I retired from American Airlines after 22 years where I worked as an A & P mechanic/machinist. It has always been our dream to own a campground and when we found Lakeview Campground in 2003 we knew this was the place we wanted to live. We had looked at many other campgrounds but we both felt this community had the most to offer. It is not only beautiful but we felt the people we met had a special pride as residents of Indian Point. It was difficult in the beginning with Rhonda living at the campground full time and myself driving back and forth to Tulsa every weekend but we made it work. Since my retirement from American I have been able to devote more time to the campground and this community. I feel I can fairly represent both the residents and the business owners due to the fact that I have a vested interest not only as a resident of Indian Point but also as a business owner. I have previous experience working with other communities as a business owner since I also owned and operated a machine shop and Rhonda had a computerized embroidery business. Since becoming a trustee I have served on various committees - I am a member of the Police and Safety committee, Planning and Zoning and the Trails committee. I have enjoyed participating as our community came together for the betterment of the Point such as clearing brush along the side of our roads with PEMA and building pens for our communities Guinea Project. I believe it is important for the community to work together to find ways to accomplish what is in the best interest of the both the residents and the businesses of Indian Point and if I am re-elected I plan to work very hard to help accomplish this goal.

## LARRY STENZEL CANDIDATE FOR INDIAN POINT TRUSTEE 2011

My name is Larry R Stenzel. I would like to serve the community of Indian Point again as a member of the Board of Trustees. I moved into the Branson area in 1993 with Cleo, my wife of 40 years. We have lived on Indian Point since 1995.

After serving in the US Army, my career spans 40 years in the construction field as a Heating & Cooling Contractor and Home Builder, including building several of the homes here on Indian Point. Experience as a business owner and in the construction field helps me to be qualified in many areas affecting the development of our community.

I previously served as an Indian Point Trustee, as Vice-Chairman on the Police & Emergency Committee, and on the Road Committee for the past 4 years, 2 of them as Vice-Chairman. I understand the concerns of the village citizens and businesses and how our local government works.

Allow me the opportunity to help and to serve the Village of Indian Point as a trustee with your vote in the upcoming April election. Thank you sincerely, Larry R Stenzel

## Brett Stump, Jr. Candidate for Indian Point Trustee

My name is B.J Stump and I am running for the position of Trustee. I have lived on Indian Point for 17 years and graduated from reeds Spring High School. I have been a member of the Southern Stone County Fire District for 4 years; I am a trained firefighter and first responder for station number 10 which serves the Indian Point area. I am a member of the Indian Point Police and Emergency Management Board. I also work at Indian Point Marina, where I have been employed for several years.

I am interested in becoming a Trustee to try and help the point prosper and grow. I have actively volunteered for the community such as plowing snow, loading salt into the hopper, during the December 2010 tornado I helped out with clean up throughout the Stone County Community.

I have an interest in seeing Indian Point grow and prosper as this has been my home for several years and intend on staying here for several more years. My interest is in public service whether it be volunteering on the fire department or serving as a Trustee or helping out in the community. I am truly involved in my community. Please consider me when you go to the polls. Thank You.

## Barb Rose Candidate for Indian Point Trustee

My name is Barbara Rose and I am running for Indian Point Board of Trustees. Our family owns and operates Foxfire Resort here on Indian Point. My folks, Ed and Ruth Rose, have owned Four Seasons Resort down 00 Highway for the last thirty years.

Before moving to the Ozarks I lived in Nebraska for twenty five years. For the last 17 years I worked as a Senior Sales Administrator for ConAgra Foods Inc, one of the largest food companies in the world. My responsibilities included sales and marketing to a number of large companies, including Wal-Mart, Sam's Club, Kroger and Costco.

Indian Point is facing serious issues that must be addressed, and soon. Deteriorating roads and wastewater issues are among the most important, while staying within our means. My experience in team budgeting and administration will enable me to bring a seasoned yet fresh perspective to the process.

It is a blessing to live in our beautiful country here in the Ozarks, and the people here deserve open and accountable government. I believe my experience in the corporate world and in our family business qualify me well to help solve our problems. With accountability, honesty, and a spirit of cooperation our goals are achievable. Thank you for your consideration.

## David Canaday Candidate for Indian Point Trustee

Education: BS in Business, Mo State

Graduate studies, University of Arkansas

Work History: 2 years accounting and administration-  
Purdue University

8 years management in city government-  
City of Springfield, Mo

26 years self employed:

4 store chain of dry cleaners

Barbeque restaurant

Specialty food retail/wholesale business

Catering business

Personal history: Lived on Indian Point 21 years

Older than dirt

Comment: After the past year, you would have to be an idiot to "Want" to be a Trustee for Indian Point, but someone has to do it that has nothing personal to be gained. I will faithfully serve to the full extent of my abilities.

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Indian Point Police call  
Emergency: 911  
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417-339-9117  
Do not call the office!

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## **Trails Update:**

**After a work day with the Engineers, we should be able to bid Phase I, by March. We have preliminary drawings from the engineer on Phase II. Since most of the leg work is completed, our goal is to have the trails completed by the end of May.**

**Economic Development Committee (EDC) replaces the CAAD—Community Activities & Development. This new committee is looking for volunteers. It is a 7 person board with one member a Trustee, the rest are residents of Indian Point. If interest please contact Jim Daily, or call the Village Office.**